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For : Neural Transplantation Using Pluripotent Neuroepithelial Cells

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Page 1, line 2: After the Title of the Application, please insert the following paragraph:

--Cross-Reference to a Related Application

This application is a continuation application of USSN 09/672,606, filed September 28, 2000; which is a continuation application of USSN 09/043,061, filed March 12, 1998; which is a national stage application of PCT/GB96/02251, filed September 12, 1996.

Remarks

This amendment to the application is being made to update the specification to include a cross-reference section.